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### TERMS OF SALE

Descriptions are our own, and of necessity have to be brief. We have tried to give a word picture of the flowers as they appear to us, but we know that we are not infallible as to color descriptions. Also, some flowers, especially those of the Lady Washington Geraniums and the Hydrangeas, vary as to coloring shades and growing habits with various culture conditions (soil, water, climate, etc.). We propagate all of our own plants from healthy parent stock and follow their growth until they are packed and shipped, thus eliminating the chance of any outside mis-naming.

Please send cash. We do not accept C.O.D. orders. For your own protection, do not send coin or currency unless your letter is registered.

All orders over \$2.00 will be sent prepaid by Parcel Post. On orders less than \$2.00, please enclose 25¢ to help cover the cost of packing and shipping.

On orders sent outside the regular shipping period (shipping period stated under the headings of the different plants), we will send order only by Railway Express. All express charges are to be paid by the customer at the destination. In the event that there are any damages to the plants (freezing, delay, etc.), a claim for damages should be made AT THE TIME OF DELIVERY. When shipment is made by Railway Express, we will give a plant or plants valued at 10% or more of the order total in place of shipping costs incurred by us when shipping by Parcel Post. If you do not live in an area where Railway Express deliveries are made, or where you can pick them up soon after arrival, it is better to wait until milder weather when they may be shipped by Parcel Post.

Please list substitutes that we may use in the event that we are sold out of the variety ordered. If you like, just write on order blank in place of substitute "Your Choice", and we will send you the closest plant that we have to the one ordered. In the event that a substitute is used, we will label it with its own name. We will not mis-label any plants sent. If you do not want any substitutes used, mark the order blank "No Substitutes" and we will gladly refund your money if we are out of the variety ordered.

California customers please add  $2\frac{1}{2}\%$  Sales Tax.



## P E L A R G O N I U M S

(Lady Washington Geraniums)  
(*Pelargonium domesticum*)

All Pelargoniums listed are thriving, well rooted plants out of propagating pots and will be shipped with soil on the roots. All plants are of blooming age at the time of shipment, and many are bearing buds. Pelargoniums are hardy to 28 degrees. If planted in the garden in areas where the weather is colder than 28 degrees during the winter, they should be planted in pots large enough to allow for growth and sunk in the ground. In this manner they can be taken up with the pot and placed indoors before the first freeze. They can be grown in full sun where the summers are cool, but should be grown in partial shade (not full shade) wherever the summers are hot.

AMANDA: (Andenken an London) Reddish Orange, with reddish-white center, upper petals blotched with black, good variety.

ANDENKEN AN MOSKOW: Deep purple, all petals marked with black blotches.

ANITA: Pink, with white center, upper petals blotched with dark crimson.

AZALEA: Rosy pink, dark blotches on upper petals, large flowers, low bushy growth, very good.

BERTHA WAGNER: Rose pink, with white edges, dark blotches on upper petals.

BISMARCK: Orchid lavender, with all petals blotched dark maroon, ruffled.

CARMEN QUEEN: (Karminkoenigin) Carmen red, slightly ruffled, dark blotches on upper petals, compact growth, good pot plant.

CHERRY RED: Upper petals cherry red, with deep maroon blotches, lower petals deep rose.

CHICAGO MARKET: Orchid pink, very delicate color, deeper toward center, good pot plant.

CYRIL WARREN: Rose pink, upper petals are rose red with velvety dark red blotches, ruffled, very beautiful. Price: \$1.00.

EASTER GREETING: Cerise, with black marks, long blooming period.

EDITH NORTH: Pinkish salmon, upper petals deeper shading, blotches of dark brown, good bloomer, strong grower.



EMPEROR OF RUSSIA: Dark red, with light pink edges, velvety black blotches on all petals, ruffled.

FASCINATION: Pink, with each petal veined and blotched with dark crimson, ruffled.

FIREGLOW: Rosy red, with blotched upper petals.

GERALDINE: Delicate pink edge, white throat, dark markings on upper petals, waved petals.

GLENDALE: Rose red, with all petals marked dark red, early bloomer with lots of blooms.

GRANDMA FISHER: Salmon, pencilled with dark brown, ruffled blossom, early bloomer, deservedly very popular.

HAILE SELASSIE: Dark reddish violet, lighter on outer edge, all petals blotched and veined dark velvety brown.

IMP. MME. LAYAL: (Baby) small purple and white flowers, with black blotches, compact, sometimes called pansy geranium.

JOAN FONTAINE: Very deep violet, red, and black, compact, large flowers.

JOYCE: (Mme. Childs) Dark maroon, with white throat, purple shading, veined.

KATE BORNEMAN: Salmon pink, upper petals blotched and veined with very dark crimson, beautifully ruffled, one of the better varieties.

LADY LESLIE: (Lucy Ann Leslie) Deep pink, veined red from base of petal to crimson center spot, beautifully ruffled.

LUCRETIA SMITH: Delicate pink, with white throat, dark crimson blotches and veining on upper petals, ruffled.

MABEL: Deep red, with white center, dark eyes.

MACKENSEN: Rose pink, upper petals veined, with dark blotches, large flowers, very showy.

MAID MARIAN: Salmon pink, carmen blotches, compact grower, good pot plant.

MARIE ROBER: Magenta to black, probably the darkest, deservedly very popular, a lovely flower.

MARIE VOGEL: Red, flushed with salmon, dark blotches on upper petals, early large flowers with waved petals.

MRS. MARY BARD: Pure white, with slight purple markings at base of petals, compact growth, good pot plant.



top petals with blotches  
NEAL WARREN: Pure white, ~~all petals with touches~~ of magenta red, large blooms, keeps well as cut flower. Price: \$1.00.

ORCHID EDITH NORTH: Orchid pink, dark blotches on upper petals, early free bloomer.

PALO ALTO: Pinkish lavender, with violet blotches on upper petals, good variety, long stems on blossoms.

PASO ROBLES: Carmen, with dark red blotch in center of upper petals, small red blotches on lower petals, California giant.

PROFESSOR CORRENS: Deep pink, with light pink throat, upper petals blotched with very dark velvety maroon, large flowers.

ROSALIND: Whitish, with carmen shading and blotches on all petals.

RUTH McAFFEE: Pink, deep red blotches on upper petals, ruffled, very popular.

SAN DIEGO: Purple, with violet blotches on all petals.

SCHONE ILLA: Salmon pink with orchid undertone, upper petals blotched and veined dark crimson, ruffled.

SENSATION: Dark red, with dark blotches, old favorite

SUE JARRETT: Salmon pink, upper petals with maroon blotches, veined and spotted, very large flowers.

SUMMERTIME: Salmon, white throat and narrow white edge on petals

PRICE: Unless otherwise noted, 40¢ each, 6 for \$2.25, 12 for \$4.00.

SELECTION OF OUR CHOICE: 12 named varieties \$3.50, or 25 for \$7.00.

SHIPPING PERIOD: March 15th to July 15th, and Sept. 15th to Nov. 15th.

Pelargoniums can be shipped all year if shipped by Railway Express. See Terms of Sale.



## GERANIUMS

Also known as Zonal, Fish, Horseshoe, or Common Geranium  
*Pelargonium hortorum* (*P. zonale*)

ALPHONSE RICARD: Semi-double, bright scarlet, strong grower with large flowers. One of the best.

ALICE OF VINCENNES: Single, large white throat, rest blends from violet crimson to scarlet edge. Outer colors vary considerably.

AMERICAN BEAUTY: (America) Double carmine, large flower, leaf, and plant. Can be trained to climb or used as a standard Geranium.

APPLE BLOSSOM: (Mme. Jaulin) Semi-double, flowers shade from white centers to true apple blossom pink. Vigorous.

BEAUTE POITEVINE: Double, light salmon, leaves deeply zoned, semi-dwarf.

BETTER TIMES: Double, bright deep red, vigorous grower, compact. good pot plant.

CALIFORNIA BEAUTY: Double, clear pink with white center, heavy bloomer.

CALIFORNIA PINK GIANT: Double, very good pink, huge flowers, heavy bloomer.

CARMEL: Single, white with narrow rosy red edge on each petal.

DOUBLE DRYDEN: Double, coral with white center, shading to lilac on outer edge of petals.

E.H. TREGO: Double, orange scarlet, very brilliant.

FIAT: (Pink Fiat) Double, salmon pink, good bloomer with good foliage. Low grower, one of the best for potting.

GENERAL GRANT: Double, bright orange scarlet, medium sized flowers, tall.

IRVINGTON BEAUTY: Double, light rose pink, good variety, blooms freely.

JEAN OBERLE: Double, blush pink, petals white at outer edges. Good grower.

JEAN VIAUD: Semi-double, lavender pink, white center, very beautiful.

LOUISE: See E.H. Trego.

MARGUERITE DE LAYRE: (Snowflake or Simplicity) Single, pure white, flowers on long stems. Best single white.

MME. BUCKNER: Double, snow white, strong grower. An old favorite.

MME. LANDRY: Double, clear apricot salmon, good bloomer.

MAGENTA RUBY: Double, good magenta with scarlet red center. Good bloomer.

MARQUIS DE CASTELANE: Double, tomato red with large trusses.



GERANIUMS (cont.)

MARQUISE DE MONTMORT: Double, bright magenta, compact grower, good bloomer.

MAXIME KOVALEVSKY: (Diablo) Single, very good shade of light orange. Gives lots of color as a bedding or pot plant.

MITCHELL SENSATION: Double, brilliant scarlet, large flowers.

MRS. E.G. HILL: Single, light salmon, large flowers. Leaves are well zoned. A good addition to any collection.

MRS. RICHARD GLOEDE: (Gloede or Thomas Meehan) Double, clear pink flowers, very large blossoms.

MRS. LAWRENCE: Double, light salmon pink, blooms profusely, very good, dwarf plant.

NUIT POITEVINE: Single, wine red with scarlet center, large flowers blooms freely.

OLYMPIC RED: Double, scarlet red, very good bloomer much in demand. The best of the double scarlets.

PAINTED LADY: Single, light scarlet, white on upper petals, shaded violet.

PAUL CRAMPEL: SINGLE, large bright scarlet flowers. Excellent variety.

PRIDE OF CAMDEN: Double, very good dark crimson, blooms heavily.

RADIO RED: Double, bright red medium sized flowers. Very popular.

RED FIAT: Double, one of the best scarlets, bright orange scarlet. Very much in demand.

S.A. NUTT: Double, dark red, good bloomer. One of the old standbys.

SALMON SUPREME: Semi-double, apricot salmon. Good pot plant.

SUSAN LEEPREE: Single, salmon suffused with orange.

WYONA: Double, very good scarlet with large blooms. Good bloomer.

NEW RUBY: (Ruby King) Ruby color with very large blossoms. Long stems.

PRICE: Rooted cuttings, one of any kind labeled 19¢ each.

Rooted cuttings, five of any one kind (labeled) for 75¢.

Plants out of two inch propagating pots and shipped with soil on the roots, 30¢ each, 6 different named and labeled varieties \$1.75.

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VARIEGATED OR FANCY LEAVED GERANIUMS  
Pelargonium zonale

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HAPPY THOUGHT: Tri-color, yellow center with dark zone, green margin. Varies. Scarlet red flowers. PRICE: Rooted cuttings 20¢ each, out of 2½ inch pots 35¢.

JUBILEE: Bi-color, green leaf with good red bronze zone. Single salmon-pink flower. PRICE: Rooted cuttings 20¢ each, out of 2½ inch pots 35¢.

MRS. POLLOCK: Tri-color, green center, wide dark zone with red and orange splashings, golden yellow edge. Small orange red flowers. PRICE: Rooted cuttings 20¢ each, out of 2½ inch pots 35¢.

SHIPPING PERIOD: Same as *P. domesticum* and *P. hortorum*.

IVY - LEAF GERANIUM  
Pelargonium peltatum

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CESAR FRANCK: (Galalee) Soft crimson pink. Very popular.

CHARLES MONSELET: Double, deep rose red, large flowers on long stems.

CHARLES TURNER: Double, deep rose pink. Large flowers. Free bloomer. Good for all around use.

COMTESSE DE GREY: Semi-double, light satiny pink. Very good bloomer.

DARK RED: Double, very dark red. Good variety.

INTENSITY: (Etincelant) Semi-double, intense orange scarlet. Very large flowers.

JEANNE D'ARC: Single, pale lavender, striped with dark red. Long vines with glossy green leaves. Fast grower.

JOSEPH WARREN: Double, deep violet purple. Richest color of all.

LEOPARD: Semi-double, orchid pink with large red spots on upper petals. Richly veined and marked.

MRS. BANKS: Semi-double, white with bluish tinge, upper petals marked with light violet.

PRICE: Rooted cuttings 16¢ each, 5 of one kind 75¢. Out of propagating pots 25¢ each. Write for special rates on lots of 100 or more.

SHIPPING PERIOD: Same as *P. domesticum* and *P. hortorum*.



SCENTED-LEAF GERANIUMS

BALM: (*P. mellissimum*) Balm scented, tri-lobed light green leaf. Small lavender flowers.

LEMON: (*P. crispum*) Lemon scented, small fan shaped leaf, Small single pale lavender flowers.

NUTMEG: (*P. fragrans*) small light gray-green leaf. Pungent spicy odor. Clusters of tiny white flowers, upper petals with red brush marks.

PEPPERMINT: (*P. tomentosum*) Strong peppermint scent. Leaf is light green. very soft and velvety. Vigorous rambling grower, good for window boxes. Very small white flower.

PHEASANT'S FOOT: (*P. viscosum*) Pungent. Leaf resembles Pheasant's foot print in the snow. Rose colored flowers with carmine markings. Open grower. *graveolens*

ROSE: (*P. denticulatum*) Also known as Dr. Livingston or Skeleton Rose. Five lobed, deeply cut, light green leaf. Rose scented. Small lavender flowers with upper petals brush marked carmine.

PRICE: Rooted cuttings 20¢ each. One of each of the above varieties, all six for \$1.10. Plants out of propagating pots and shipped with soil on the roots, 35¢ each, or one of each of the above six, \$1.90.

SHIPPING PERIOD: Same as *P. domesticum* or *P. hortorum*.

SHASTA DAISIES

*Chrysanthemum maximum*

ESTHER REED: White, full double with yellow shading towards center. Pom pom center. The best of the shastas.

MARCONI: White with delicate yellow center. Largest double, shaggy blossom. Very good for cutting.

MT. SHASTA: Large flowers, full pom pom center. Improved Esther Reed. Long stems.

PRICE: 4 for \$1.00.

SHIPPING PERIOD: January to June.

REDWOOD BURLS

For an indoor novelty that will give a lot of enjoyment, try these burls from the giant California Redwoods. They are a knobby growth that is cut from the base of the Redwood tree. When they are placed flat side down in a bowl or plate with about a half an inch of water covering the base of the burl, sprouts will soon appear and at first the burl will look like a miniature hill with trees on it. Then the sprouts will grow into fern-like fronds.

PRICE: Medium size 85¢, large size \$1.25. Can be shipped all year.



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